PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.:

10/517,238

Filing Date:

December 8, 2004

Applicant:

Marc Bäumer et al.

Group Art Unit:

1792

Examiner:

Binh X. Tran

Title:

Coating Materials and the Use Thereof for the Production of

Weldable Coatings

Attorney Docket:

BASF Docket No. PAT-01028

Harness, Dickey & Pierce Docket No. 906-359

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 12, 2009, in which claims 23-34, 36-42, and 45 were rejected and claims 35, 43, and 44 were indicated to be allowable over the art, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below